# Wheathampstead Parish Council

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20 May 2015

To: All Councillors

Cllrs: D Johnston (Chairman), A Brewster, G Clark, A Dante, D

Davies, L Halford, S Haynes, T Reason, J Shardlow, P

Wilby, P Woodhams

## **Notice of Meeting**

You are hereby summoned to a **Special Meeting of the Parish Council** to be held in the **Hewitt Room** on **Thursday 28 May 2015 at 7.30pm.** 



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#### **Agenda**

- 1 Apologies for absence
- 2 Specific Declarations of Interests and Dispensations
- 3 Public Speaking

**Minutes of Council** 

- **4** To approve the Minutes of the Parish Council meeting held on 11 May 2015 ATTACHED.
- **5** Minutes of Committee Meetings

To receive the notes of the following working group meetings.

Wheathampstead Community Safety 15 April 2015

Forum

Community Involvement Committee 27 April 2015
Village weekend WG 12 May 2015
Crinkle Crankle WG 14 May 2015
Planning Committee 18 May 2015
Facilities Management WG 18 May 2015

Request to Use Marford Field for Fundraising Event on 7 September
A request to hold a classic car event on Marford Field in aid of the Hertfordshire
Air Ambulance was brought to Council on 11 May. Further details have been

circulated for consideration. Councillors to consider the experience of the organising team in scheduling such events, conflict with similar local events, particularly Harpenden Classic Car Event, mitigation regarding other users of access roads and Marford Field, precedent etc. The organising team ,if given the go ahead, need advertising time and time to notify key organisations (it is understood police and fire service have been approached for advice). Councillors to consider to approve or not the request and if approved any conditions including fee.

# **7** Standing Orders

Recommendation to add under section 5, ordinary meetings:

'A second Vice-Chairman with special responsibilities may be appointed at any full council meeting for a period not to exceed the date of the next annual meeting.'

# 8 Appointment of additional vice chairman to council

Recommendation that CIIr Brewster be appointed Vice- Chairman, Localism for 2015-16

#### 9 Bank Mandate

Recommendation to reapprove bank mandate for transparency of a new Council.

To approve signatories for the Co-Op current/ cheque account any two councillors with Clerk or Deputy Clerk.

To approve signatory for Public Sector Deposit Account (money can only be moved out into the Co-Op account) as Clerk or in her absence the Deputy Clerk

## 10 Maintenance Contractor

Recommendation to approve 2015-16 quotes from Village Maintenance, these being

Litterpicking £2,912

Play area inspection £2,912

3G pitch maintenance £5,824

These fall within budgeted amounts

## 11 Maintenance work to grass football pitches

WWFC have requested that WPC undertake pitch work including vertidraining, which WWFC would refund. Approval for works sought.

## 12 Accounts for Payment and Finance Reports

Attached for consideration and approval

# 13 Consultations, training and meetings

Reports from councillors